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Amendments to the Claims:

1, (cancelled)
2. (cancelled)
3. (cancelled)
4. (cancelled)
5. (cancelled)
6. (cancelled)
7. (cancelled)
8. (amended) A method for producing a roast lifter comprised of string or cord comprising the steps of

- a) interweaving a continuous string or cord to form a <u>support platform</u> net <u>having a</u>

 plurality of aperatures conforming to the size of the meat or poultry, and
- b) weaving from the continuous string or cord at least two handles attached to onto opposing peripheral edges of the net, support platform wherein the string or cord is butcher's twine.